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 Application No.: 10/616,305 : Group Art Unit: 1753  
 Filed: July 10, 2003 : Examiner: Jeffrey Barton

For: BIOSENSOR AND MEASURING APPARATUS FOR BIOSENSOR

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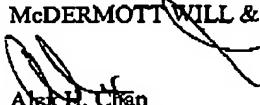
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 11, 2005, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire April 11, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: